

Special Issue

Environmental Feedbacks between Global Changes, Contaminants and Aquatic Plants

Message from the Guest Editors

The novel conditions after industrialization have direct impacts on water environments. Although isolated effects of temperature, light, and contaminants on aquatic organisms have been studied, their integrative effects are far to be understood. Aquatic plants play important roles for the global environment, being the basis of the aquatic trophic chain, phytoplankton are essential for CO₂ fixation and O₂ production. Similarly, hydrophytes provide a habitat for a wide variety of aquatic organisms and, likewise, influence their abundance and diversity, in addition to participating in the removal of water contaminants (such as personal care and pharmaceuticals products, cyanotoxins, metals, hydrocarbons, and pesticides). Therefore, the environmental feedbacks are extremely important. Based on that, this Special Issue aims to gather knowledge on environmental feedbacks between global changes and/or contaminants on the biology (molecular, morphophysiological, and biogeochemical responses) of aquatic plants (phytoplankton and hydrophytes). For the more information, please visit our [Special Issue website page](#).

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